

TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 10.

Li-Hung Chang passed through Winnipeg yesterday.

A hurricane is raging along the New England coast.

The government will not provide for the improvement of St. Andrews rapids this season.

Constable Cruickshank, of the Northwest M. P. at Duck Lake, accidentally shot himself fatally.

The Prince of Wales' horse "Perseus" won the St. Lager stakes yesterday in a canter.

The Montreal Star's Winnipeg correspondent furnishes an outline of the proposed settlement of the school question very much the same as already published.

In the House of Commons yesterday the first test division of the session was made on the motion condemning the government for the issue of the governor-general's warrant. The vote gave the government a majority of 34. The numbers were 103 to 69.

Mr. Oliver in the House yesterday wanted to know if it was the intention of the government to compel the railways in the Northwest to complete selection of lands they had earned. Hon. Mr. Doherty replied that the government was considering the question with the object of ascertaining how far the interest of the public would support the principle of compulsory selection.

Fort Saskatchewan, Sept. 10.

Samuel Faval one of the earliest settlers in Northern Alberta, died here this morning at daylight of old age. Mr. Faval was a notable figure in connection with exploration made throughout the Northwest in its earliest days and was one of Dr. Roy's relief party sent out in search of Franklin. Mr. Faval was a native of Red River, was 82 years of age, and was a brother of Joe Faval, the pilot, who made so many successful trips up and down the Saskatchewan river in the employ of the Hudson's Bay Co.

TODAY'S TRAIN.

One car flour for J. A. McDougall, one car sugar for Mackenzie & Co., one car merchandise for various parties.

LOCAL.

TRAIN 30 minutes late leaving Olds.

LA CHAISE at Robertson Hall next Tuesday night.

The legislative assembly meets for business on Sept. 29th.

A HARVEST dinner will be held in the Methodist church on Tuesday, Sept. 22nd.

REV. MR. FORMIS, of Fort Saskatchewan, will preach in this Presbyterian church next Sunday.

H. H. McCULLY came in on Monday's train from Banff with his wife on a short visit to his family.

REV. M. SCOTT took out with him to Peace River a fine Peterborough canoe which he obtained from Insp. Snyder.

COWIE & GARDNER have received a number of official reports, blue books, etc. for the use of the board of trade, which will be filed for reference.

The electric lights were again conspicuous by their absence last night. Overheated bearings in the machinery was the cause. The lights will be on to-night.

T. A. STEPHEN left on Tuesday's train for Rosland where he will open an office as a broker. There are over 100 mining brokers already there, but Mr. Stephen has a pretty sure thing in hand.

The Rev. J. Dyke married a Witskewin couple on Tuesday at the Queen's. Their names were Fred Coolidge and Florence Elizabeth Franklin. The Rev. J. Dyke acted as groomsmen and Miss Scott, of Peace River, as bridesmaid.

SPECIAL anniversary sermons were preached in the Methodist church, South Edmonton, last Sunday. On Tuesday a supper was held followed by a public meeting presided over by the pastor Rev. W. B. Cheung. Addresses were delivered by Revs. C. B. Freeman, H. A. Gray, J. Dyke, and J. B. Taylor. Solos were sung by Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Hockley, Miss McKay and Mr. Davis, and Miss McKnight gave a reading. There was a large audience present and the church was tastefully decorated for the occasion.

C. GALLAGHER returned on Monday's train from the coast. He went straight through to Victoria, arriving there on Sunday evening. He returned to Vancouver and found things lively on account of the regatta. They are waiting for the Dominion charter to build a railroad from Vancouver to Rosland. The capital has been subscribed and the provincial charter obtained. The road will be independent of the C. P. R. and Vancouver people are expecting great things from it when built. At Revelstoke Mr. Gallagher found over 60 cars of freight waiting for an opportunity to be transported to Rosland and Trail, and he thinks the difficulties of transportation on the Canadian side of the line will interfere considerably with our trade in the Kootenay. One Winnipeg traveller said that his firm shipped all their goods in to Rosland and Trail by the Northern Pacific through the States via Spokane.

REV. MR. SCOTT arrived on Monday's train. He has been in Winnipeg for some two months where he underwent an operation at the hospital. He is healthy and did not allow of his attendance at the synod. His daughter and Miss McKnight arrived with him. Miss McKnight goes to assist the Rev. Mr. Robertson, whose wife recently died, in his mission as a governess to his children. Mr. Scott has been engaged in mission work at Vermilion, Peace River, for ten years, has visited Cree and Beaver Indians in their camps continually, and has always travelled on foot by snowshoes in the winter, and by canoe in the spring and summer time. They are endeavoring to get a sufficiently good knowledge of the language of the Beaver Indians to reduce it to writing so that the scriptures may be translated to their own language for them. The party left for the north yesterday.

Quite a number of the Edmonton people who went to the coast by the excursion train will arrive to-night.

Rev. E. EBERHARDT will hold religious service in the German language in Robertson hall on Sunday, Sept. 27th, at 3.30 p. m.

F. COOLIDGE and his wife, the couple who were married at the Queen's on Tuesday, left for their home at Wetskiwin by trail to-day.

Don't forget A. G. Randall's benefit concert at Robertson hall on Wednesday night. The best talent in town will appear, both musical and elocutionary.

L. K. E. BYERS and J. Coburn left by boat yesterday for the head waters of the Saskatchewan where they intend to spend the winter hunting and trapping.

A. McNUCC has taken over the whole of the business of T. A. Stephen except the management of the Pork Packing Co. N. D. Jackson remains with Mr. McNicol.

TOWNSHIP 32, range 3, west of the fifth meridian is gazetted a statute labor and fire district. R. A. Kemby, of Olds, is appointed returning officer for first election of overseer.

The regular monthly service for young people will be held in the Methodist church next Sunday morning. Special sermon by the pastor and suitable songs by the Sunday school choir.

JAS. A. STOVEL is having a workshop added at the back of his store. The old shop is being thrown into the store and will be fitted up for a larger stock which he expects shortly.

Mrs. JAMES McDONALD leaves on tomorrow's train to visit the W. C. T. U. in the Northwest Territories. She will go as far south as Macleod and east as far as Mooseomin.

J. ROSS returned on Monday from his excursion trip. He spent most of his time at Tacoma, Wash. He is not much impressed by what he saw and thinks Edmonton is good enough for him.

W. J. RICHARDSON'S new house is well advanced. The roof is on and the lath and plaster is being put on. The new house and will have a fine appearance when completed. A Barque is the contractor.

REGULATIONS, syllabus and forms of application for an examination for admission to the civil service of India by open competition on August 3rd, 1897, may be obtained from R. B. Gordon, secretary to the Lieut. Governor, Regina.

The gospel temperance meeting in the Baptist church to-night commences at 8 o'clock. Rev. C. B. Freeman will occupy the chair and the Rev. J. Dyke will be the principal speaker. An interesting programme will be rendered.

ONE or two more entries will be received for the silver medal elocutionary contest on Sept. 29th. Application should be made to St. Chivers Wilson at the BULLETIN office before Saturday. Competitors must be between 14 and 25 years of age.

MISS TRIMBLE, of Red Deer, who has been to Japan for the past few years as a missionary is expected on to-night's train on a short visit to her relatives here. She will probably take an active part in the services at the Methodist church on Sunday.

THE Northwest Gazette announces the appointment of R. A. McNutt, of Colchester settlement, to be a commissioner for the Northwest Territories. The resignation of R. W. McLelland, of Red Deer, as a justice of the peace has been accepted. W. D. L. Hardie, of Lethbridge, is granted a certificate of efficiency as a mine manager.

THE fall matches of the Fort Saskatchewan rifle association will be held on Sept. 17th, 18th and 19th, next Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The saddle horse won by one of their number at Edmonton, will be put up as first prize in the lady's match. The rifle won here will also be put up as a prize. The association are straining every effort to make the event a great success and hope to see many Edmonton riflemen present.

A MEETING of the members from the Northwest and Manitoba was held in their special room at the Hotel of Commons last Friday to discuss with the minister of agriculture questions affecting the interests of settlers in the Northwest, with a view to formulating some definite policy in the interests of the west to be laid before the agricultural and immigration committee. Messrs. F. Oliver, Macdonnell, Richardson, and Douglas are on the committee.

FOR last Monday in the House of Commons Mr. Oliver had given notice of the following questions: "Have all the lands earned by the C. & E. Ry. Co., the Regina, Qu'Appelle & Long Lake Ry. Co., the Manitoba & Northwestern Ry. Co., and the Alberta Ry. & Coal Co. been transferred to these companies, and are the transfers recorded so that the record is available to the public?" and, "What amount of land in the N. W. Territories earned by the C. P. R. Co. on account of grant has not yet been transferred to that company? If any land so earned has not been transferred, why has it not been, and when will it be?"

Victoria Colonist: Mr. Isaac Cowie, secretary of the Edmonton board of trade, is paying an official visit to the coast with a view to furthering the interests of trade between the Edmonton district and its natural markets in British Columbia. He spent yesterday in Victoria, conferring with the officials of the board of trade here, and he made the purpose of the British Pacific railway the subject of special inquiry. Mr. Cowie says the people of the Edmonton district are very anxiously waiting to hear of the commencement of the British Pacific, as its construction would mean a great deal to them. They are too far west to compete on favorable terms in the markets of eastern Canada, and for want of direct railway communication cannot profitably get to British Columbia. At present their efforts are directed towards securing an entry into the Kootenay mining camps, which Mr. Cowie will visit before his return. Several members of the Edmonton board of trade have come to Vancouver to attend the carnival and they, too, propose to make an excursion from Revelstoke to Nelson.

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THE MAYOR'S BILL.

The town council sat at a court of revision last Tuesday night until about eleven o'clock when they proceeded to their regular business. The chairman of the finance committee submitted a bill from Mayor Wilson for \$465 balance of his expenses for his Ottawa trip. A vote was taken and the account with others declared to have been passed. Yesterday morning Councillors McCauley, Sutter, Kelly and Sanderson handed to the town clerk a document protesting against the issuing of a cheque for the amount, asking for a detailed statement, and declaring the account passed the council in an irregular manner.

Councillor McCauley says that when the account was mentioned he asked what it was for and while he was examining a document relating to it the mayor declared it passed before he (McCauley) had time for rise and protest. In face of the fact that \$500 have previously been voted for the mayor's expenses, Mr. McCauley thinks the council and people should at least know how this extra bill of \$465 is made up before it is paid, and he declares he will resign if it is paid without details being given.

Councillor Sanderson is a member of the finance committee, and he seconded the motion adopting that committee's report. He says that the rule has been since he has been a member of the council, for the chairman of a committee to move adoption of its report and for a member of the committee to second the motion, and without thinking he followed the rule Tuesday night. He says he never saw the account till it was laid on the council table and his first impression was that it was a bill for some balance in connection with the railroad. After council meeting it struck him that it was a large amount, and when the other councillors called on him yesterday morning he learned exactly what the amount was for, and immediately joined in the protest and will stand firm for a detailed account. It is found reasonable he may vote for payment seeing there was limit put on the mayor's expenses when he was elected. It seems to him that the amount will have to be paid if correct when details are in. Mr. Sanderson thinks a meeting of the finance committee should be held and the accounts inspected by each member before being signed by the chairman.

Councillor Sutter says that the chairman of the finance committee opened an envelope at the council board and moved the passing of the bill for \$465 which was evidently contained in the envelope. He asked the chairman of the finance committee what it was and understood it to be a railway account, while Coun. McCauley had handed the paper and was examining it at the time the vote was passed. He says the rule has been for the committeemen to meet before the council, in the clerk's office where they are handed the accounts for their committees. The accounts are examined and handed on to the finance committee, who pass them if correct, and enter them in a book for report to the council, but the mayor's bill was not treated in this way. It was handed in an envelope to the chairman of the finance committee who opened it at the council board. Mr. Sutter will stand for a detailed statement and will move for reducing it if any items are charged which should not be paid by the council. Mr. Sutter reminds us that there was some dissatisfaction when the second vote of \$200 was passed for the mayor, and this bill making a total of \$665 for the trip, he considers exorbitant. It had also been mentioned at previous meetings that Mr. Jennings' bill in connection with the railway would be \$400 or \$500 and he was under the impression that this account was for those costs.

Councillor J. Kelly takes his stand for a detailed statement. He objects to the manner in which the account was handed in and passed through the council.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST. Left in the train at Edmonton on Monday, Sept. 7th, a pair of gold spectacles. Finder will please leave at Hudson's Bay Co.'s store or Bulletin office and receive suitable reward.

GERMAN SERVICE.

Rev. E. Eberhardt will hold religious services in the German language in Robertson hall on Sunday, Sept. 2, at 3.30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

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IMPROVING THE BALLOT.

Montreal Star: An effort is being made at Ottawa to learn exactly to what extent and for what reasons the new ballot was a failure at the last elections. To this end, the clerk of the crown in chancery is sending circulars to the returning officers throughout the country inviting them to contribute their experiences and opinions touching the question to a proposed collection of all possible information on the subject. There will be a general admission, it is probable, that a large number of the electors did not know how to mark this new ballot; but it ought also to be borne in mind that this was the first occasion upon which it was put in the hands of the voters. Many had, of course, seen it described in the newspapers, and many would readily perceive how it ought to be marked if they saw it for the first time in the polling booth. But the blunders were not made by those classes. When they mismarked a ballot, it is not a blunder, it is a part of a corrupt act. The law must be written, however, and the ballot made largely for the other class who are burdened with a stupidity to guard against which our ingenuity has thus far been taxed in vain.

This class would undoubtedly do better at a second trial. They would know on another occasion what kind of a ballot to expect, and the knowledge may have reached many of them that they marked their ballots in the wrong place the last time, thus putting the lawyers and the judges and the politicians to an immense amount of trouble. This is an argument in favor of the retention of substantially the same form of ballot; though, as we have pointed out before, the present ballot would be vastly improved were it all black, save only the candidates' names and the circular spaces opposite them. This would make a ballot on practically the same principle as the one now in use, so that the voter would get the full advantage of his previous experience in ballot marking; and it would at the same time provide one which the most callow novice as well as the man who wanted to prove that he had delivered a purchased vote, would find it very difficult to mark in the wrong place. Having provided such a ballot, the law ought to be made absolutely clear, to the effect that all ballots not marked in the circular space with a cross must be rejected.

The London Times wants the counterfoil and the initialling by the deputy returning officers done away with, and proposes to guard against ballot box stuffing after the removal of these safeguards by having an elaborately engraved ballot. It would have an engraving made something like a bank bill, and then these perfected ballot papers could "be printed in quantities, counted into thousands, and be always ready at the government stationery department at Ottawa to send out to the returning officer when an election is ordered. . . . It may be fearlessly asserted," it says, "that a ballot paper so prepared and printed in the government printing office at Ottawa would render the forgery of black ballot papers impossible, obviate the necessity of the objectionable and useless counterfoil, and secure uniformity in size of the ballots to be used at any general election." This change would be very costly, and of little help to the voter. It is doubtful if the counterfoil "rattles" anyone. If it is intended only to provide against blundering or criminal deputy returning officers by this change it will be of doubtful effect. It ought to be possible to choose at least one man in a polling district who would know how to conduct so simple a business as the initialling and depositing of the present ballot; while if the deputy means to commit fraud, he will find a way to have his will with any ballot. For instance, he could stuff the ballot box as well then as now. Then a forgery would not be an impossibility. A simple ballot and responsible returning officers will do as much for us as can well be done.

LACOMBE LINKS.

J. M. Lair is having his store enlarged, with the intention, we understand of putting in a stock of dry goods.

Mr. House has been busy pressing hay, some of which has been shipped west to the Kootenay country and more is likely to follow.

Wm. Burris, Jr., and D. G. Stewart have bought H. Pease's band of cattle, about 25 in number and will divide them between them.

Mrs. Wm. Mathias went to Calgary on last train.

On Wednesday, Sept. 2nd, the wife of G. Radel, of a son.

Sept. 24, 1896.

A duck was shot near Vancouver and traces of gold were found in its crop. On the contents being washed the gold realized \$4.00, and had the crop been a double one the output of gold would have probably been increased accordingly.

Harvest excursions to the Northwest have been arranged to leave from points in the maritime provinces on Sept. 1st and 16th only, and tickets will be good for return within sixty days. The territory to which they will be sold is that lying west of Winnipeg and including Calgary and Edmonton, and the rates are from \$28 to \$40 each.

An appeal against assessment for school tax entered by Thomas Rogers, a homesteader, was heard at Regina on August 31st and in giving judgment Judge Richardson held that the case was not one coming within the scope of the exemptions of the British North America Act or School Ordinance, inasmuch as the land occupied by a homesteader is not occupied either by Her Majesty or by such homesteader in an official capacity. An assessor finding a person in occupation of land, no matter in whom the title is vested, is bound to place such person on his roll as occupant, and such person is liable to bear his share of the burden of taxation. The land itself cannot be sold for such taxes, but the taxes may be realized as any other debt.

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"BETSY."

On Tuesday evening the curtain rose at Robertson Hall on "Betsy." The performance was slow in the first act, but the actors warmed to their work and the succeeding acts went more vim. R. W. Vaudin as Mr. Birkett and Miss MacDonald as his wife were exceptionally good. Vaudin has evidently studied the part well and is a perfect representation of the old-fashioned politician who never moves except with a newspaper in his hand, while Miss MacDonald is an ideal doting mother, who cannot realize that Adolphus her son (P. H. Braine) has grown to manhood. "Dolly" is a lively young fellow who puts on an innocent childlike manner before his parents, but is quite capable of indulging in all the fun raised by his friend Dick Talbot (A. E. Lee) and the manner in which these two treat their tutor Mr. Petition Dawson (F. de Journal) is extremely funny, while Mr. de Journal's interpretation of his part is perfect. Capt. McManus (C. K. MacDonald) and his wife (Miss Calvert) are good and the same may be said of R. S. Glover as the hairdresser. Betsy (Miss McLeod) is in evidence throughout the piece, and performs her part with effect. The minor parts are Madame Potel (Mrs. de Journal) Nellie Bisset (Mabel Cameron) Clara Payton (Miss Robertson) and William (Howard Cameron) all of whom are effective.

COUNCIL MEETING.

The regular meeting of the town council was held in the council chamber on Tuesday evening, all councillors present except Councillor Edmonston.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted. Communications were read from C. M. Woodworth re sale Lot 35, block 2, river lot 12; Chemical Fire Engine Co., re order for tanks; D. C. Robertson re frontage tax; Methodist church, re electric light; Beck & Emery, re sale of lot 35, block 2, river lot 12, collection of taxes, and rebate on income tax.

Bellamy—Sutter. That St. Geo. Jellett, the collector for the municipality, is hereby authorized and directed to continue the levy and collection of the unpaid taxes appearing on the collector's roll for 1905 in the manner, and with the powers provided by law for the general levying and collection of taxes.

Sanderson—McCauley. That the request of the Methodist church re electric light be granted.

Sutter—Bellamy. That communication from D. C. Robertson be referred to board of works committee for report.

Sutter—Bellamy. That communication from the chemical fire engine company be filed.

Kelly—Sandison. That collector be instructed to release seizure on Messrs. Brunelle and Bourque upon the payment by them of \$2 each and that he be instructed not to collect for the balance of taxes due by them on income.

Bellamy—Sanderson. That the report of the finance committee be adopted.

Bellamy—Kelly. That report of auditor be filed.

Sutter—Bellamy. That report of treasurer showing a balance of \$1,116.21 be filed.

The following accounts were passed:
John C. F. Bown, \$10.00
J. Robertson, 4.25

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory, Edmonton, for the dates given:

	Max.	Min.
Monday, 7,	48	37
Tuesday, 8,	46	37
Wednesday, 9,	45	33
Thursday, 10,	45	27

Barometer reduced to sea level 29.934.
Rain fall 0.14 of an inch.

FORT SASKATCHEWAN.

The heavy frosts last week did considerable damage to grain not fully ripe, fortunately it was a little late to get its due work in on the bulk of the crop.

It may be considered a clever scheme to start fires on the islands at Island lake to spoil stamper kally, but it is a poor way to encourage the standing timber to grow, having fire running through these beautiful island and spilling them both for timber and pleasure, for the sale of a few thousand feet of indifferent rough lumber will need a pleasure resort some day and will not want to wait while the trees grow big enough for shade purposes.

The posters are out announcing the fall show of the Fort Saskatchewan agricultural society on Oct. 2nd and 3rd. With fine weather this promises to put all previous shows in the shade. Two days will be given to the occasion. Races and parade will be held on the second day. There is a big prize for the best drawing team this year, which we trust will settle this much debated question among our enthusiastic team owners.

Sept. 7 '96.

GENERAL NEWS.

The Democratic convention of gold standard supporters which was held at Indianapolis, nominated John M. Palmer, of Illinois, and S. D. Buckner, of Kentucky, as candidates for the presidency and vice-presidency. The platform includes a single gold standard; tariff for revenue only; liberal shipping laws; currency reform; civil service reform; and economy in the public expenditure.

MARRIAGES.

COOLIDGE—FRANKLIN—On Tuesday, Sept. 8th, at the Queen's hotel, Edmonton, by the Rev. J. Dyke, Fred Coolidge to Miss Florence Elizabeth Franklin, both of Wetaskiwin.

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